Full Name Kathy Lynn

Date and Place of Birth 4-20-49 Cleveland Ohio

Category/Primary Media Jewelry Metal and Porcelain

Art Training Please refer to enclosed biography

Exhibitions Please refer to enclosed biography

Collections Mr. and Mrs. James Dickson

Hunting Valley Ohio Outdoor Sculpture and Jewelry

Ms. Jane Sherwin Cleveland Ohio

Jewelry/Sculpture/Drawings

Mt. Sinai Hospital

Cleveland Ohio Outdoor Public Sculpture

ITS Inc.

Independence Ohio Sculpture

Artist Statement

The piece I submitted "Collar for Argent" began as a tribute to one of my best friends. Argent was a silver Afghan Hound, very graceful. full of intelligence and personality. When she died several years ago something was unfinished in my heart and in my mind. I knew I would resolve that feeling but I didn't know how or when.

Clay has always been an expressive medium that I enjoy working with from time to time, I especially like the immediate action between hand and mind. The resulting forms may have been subconscious suggestions of fragments or charred glyphs or tablets with inscribed messages on each piece. It may be my final message to her. It could tell a story of the time we shared together. It might describe her beauty or loyalty. It may still cry for a loss.

The sterling silver ring was selected to symbolize the infinite love and to also honor her namesake.

Assembling all these pieces thoughts and feelings in the form of a collar may signfy a ontinuation , or a sense of closeness through the use of symbols.

BIOGRAPHY

Kathy Lynn

#### Education

Attended Cooper School of Art Cleveland Institute of Art Cleveland Community College

### Professional Work

Trained in Graphic Art
Jewelry Making Techniques
Enameling
Ceramics
Fiber and Soft Sculpture
Metal Work in Steel, Copper, Brass, Alumininum and Magnesium
Forming, Welding, Brazing and Patina
Large Scale Sculpture in Plate

# Travel and Study

Richmond, Virginia Bath, Maine Phoenix, Arizona

## Work Experience

- 1968-71 Department Store Retail Advertising / Graphic Designer
- 1972-76 Industrial and Manufacturing / Catalogue, Package Design and Graphics Title: Assistant Art Director
- 1977-81 Freelance Graphic Design and Illustration
- 1982-- Jewelry Design and Fabrication Private Studio
- 1987 Private Studio / Drawing and Sculpture
- 1987 Commissioned to create large scale sculpture for Mt. Sinai Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1987 Commissioned to create 200 individual pieces of jewelry for Progressive Insurance Corp.
- 1992 Commissioned to create Metal Sculpture for ITS Corp. Independence, Ohio

Further detailed information upon request.

## Museum and Galleries of Exhibit

Albright Knox Gallery Buffalo N.Y.

North Carolina Museum of Art Raleigh N.C.

Craft and Folk Art Museum Los Angeles Ca.

Miami University Art Museum Oxford Ohio

Artists Gallery Birmingham Mi.

Galeria Primitivo Santa Barbara Ca.

Sylvia Ullman American Craft Gallery Cleveland Ohio